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SED Politburo member Karl Schirdewan, obviously quoting the party line, stated that as a result of economic difficulties the Yugoslav people forced Tito to react positively to the Soviet request for discussions on the normalization of relations between the two countries. This is another example, he said, of the fact that anyone accepting American aid will regret it in the end.

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